



## Missouri Pharmacy Program – Preferred Drug List



### ***Disease Modifying AntiRheumatic Drugs - DMARDS (Immunomodulators)***

***Effective 07/20/2006***

#### **Preferred Agents**

- Ridaura®
- Avara®
- Kineret®
- Enbrel®
- Humira®
- Remicade®
- Orencia®

#### **Non-Preferred Agents**

<b><u>Approval Criteria</u></b>	<b><u>Denial Criteria</u></b>
<b>(All DMARDS)</b> Diagnosis of rheumatoid arthritis with <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Previous trial of methotrexate (past 720 days) <u>OR</u></li> <li>• Contraindication to methotrexate therapy</li> </ul>	Absence of approvable diagnoses
Etanercept only: additional approvable diagnoses <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Psoriatic Arthritis</li> <li>• Ankylosing Spondylitis</li> <li>• Plaque Psoriasis (chronic moderate to severe)</li> <li>• <b>Polyarticular-course Juvenile Rheumatoid Arthritis</b></li> </ul>	No history of methotrexate use in the absence of contraindications to methotrexate therapy
Adalimumab only: additional approvable diagnosis <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Psoriatic Arthritis</b></li> </ul>	
Infliximab only: additional approvable diagnoses <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Crohn's Disease</b></li> <li>• <b>Ankylosing Spondylitis</b></li> <li>• <b>Psoriatic Arthritis</b></li> <li>• <b>Ulcerative Colitis</b></li> </ul>	
See Attached Approval Diagnoses	Drug Prior Authorization Hotline: (800) 392-8030.

**Approval Diagnoses (Appendix B)**

<b>Condition</b>	<b>Submitted ICD-9 Diagnoses</b>	<b>Inferred Drugs</b>	<b>Date Range</b>	<b>Client Approval</b>
Rheumatoid Arthritis	714.0 – 714.8	--	720 days	
<b>Juvenile Rheumatoid Arthritis</b>	<b>714.30 – 714.33</b>	<b>--</b>	<b>720 days</b>	
Psoriatic Arthritis	696.0		720 days	
Plaque Psoriasis	696.1	--	720 days	
Ankylosing Spondylitis	720.0	--	720 days	
Crohn's disease	555		720 days	
<b>Ulcerative Colitis</b>	<b>556.0 – 556.9</b>	<b>--</b>	<b>720 days</b>	
<b>Contraindications to methotrexate use:</b>				
Alcohol dependence/abuse	303 – 305.3	--	365 days	
Ascites	789.5	--	365 days	
Agranulocytosis	288.0	--	365 days	
Aplastic anemia	284.8	--	365 days	
Hypoplastic anemia	284.9	--	365 days	
Immunodeficiency	279	--	365 days	
HIV	042	--	365 days	
Liver disease	570-573	--	365 days	
Pleural effusion	511.1, 511.8, 511.9	--	365 days	
Renal impairment	580-588	--	365 days	
Thrombocytopenia	287.3 – 287.5	--	365 days	
Current pregnancy without Prenancy delivery code	V22 – V239, 640 – 648	--	270 days	
	632, 634-638, 640-677, V24, V27-V30		270 days	